

273: Managing Floodplain Development Through the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)

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4- day 273 Course and CFM Exam*

February 5-8, 2018 Course:

8:00AM-5:00PM Times: **Eastern Time**

Cost: Course is free, but registration required.

> Separate registration and fee required to sit for the CFM exam (optional)

Coastal Inst. Bldg. #26 Location:

Univ. of RI Bay Campus

218 S. Ferry Rd.

Narragansett, RI 02882

CFM Exam*: February 9, 2018

9:00AM-12:00PM

Eastern Time

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273 Student Manual

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Description

This is the field deployed version of the FEMA Emergency Management Institute (EMI) MI E273 course. This course is designed to provide an organized training opportunity for local officials responsible for administering their local floodplain management ordinance. The course will focus on the NFIP and concepts of floodplain management, maps and studies, ordinance administration, and the relationship between floodplain management and flood insurance.

Selection Criteria: Local officials responsible for administering local floodplain management ordinances, including but not limited to floodplain management administrators, building inspectors, code enforcement/zoning officers, conservation agents and commissioners, planners, city/county managers, attorneys, engineers, and public works officials. Federal/State/regional floodplain managers also are encouraged to attend. The course is designed for those officials with less than 3 years of floodplain management experience.

Prerequisites:

Prior to the course, participants must complete the:

- FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) tutorial (30 min).
- FEMA Flood Insurance Studies (FIS) tutorial (40 min).

Resources: Attendees may want to download and review FEMA Publication 480 "Floodplain Management Requirements: A Study Guide and Desk Reference for Local Officials" prior to the course.

Continuing Education:

12 CECs for CFMs

CFM® Exam (Optional)

This course is for enhancement and/or refresher only and not intended to prepare attendees to pass the exam. Exam takers should not expect to pass the CFM Exam without additional study. ASFPM recommends exam takers review the materials on the CFM Exam Preparation page prior to sitting for the exam. Separate registration required to sit for the CFM Exam (see below).

The Certified Floodplain Manager (CFM) Exam will be offered on Friday, February 9, 2018 from 9am-12pm. NOTE:

REGISTRATION

COURSE: Deadline to register is December 15, 2017. Rhode Island Emergency Management is handling registration, email registration form to Melinda Hopkins at Melinda.hopkins@ema.ri.gov to register. Seating is limited to 35, register early! Rhode Island local, tribal, and state government employees will get preference if there is more interest than seats available.

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COURSE REGISTRATION FORM		
First Name:	st Name: Last Name:	
Are you a Certified Floodplain Manager (CFM)	? Yes	No
Email:	Phone:	
Job Title:	Employer:	
Work Address:		
City:		
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION In the event of an emergency, who should we contact? Name:, Relationship: Phone: NO SHOW/ CANCELLATION POLICY		
If you cannot attend, you must contact Melinda Hopkins at Melinda.hopkins@ema.ri.gov or 401-462-7141 by January 29, 2018. Failure to attend without notice will effect your eligibility to register for future training. You may send someone else in your place if you are unable to attend.		
I have read and agree to the No Show/Cancellation policy.		
Signature		 Date
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